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subscriber's mode discriminating means for discriminating whether an information signal outputted from said information receiving means is provided to display means, to recording means or to both the display means and the recording means and informing said subscriber to said receiver.

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6. (Twice Amended) A subscriber apparatus comprising:
information receiving means for receiving a provided information according to a subscriber's request; [and]

subscriber's mode discriminating means for discriminating whether an information signal outputted from said information receiving means is provided to the display means, to recording means or both to the display means and the recording means;

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charging means for charging a different amount among in the case in which said information is provided to said display means, in the case in which said information is provided to said recording means and in the case in which said information is provided to said display means and to said recording means according to the output of said subscriber's mode discriminating means; and

charge registering means for accumulating the amount outputted from said charging means.

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6 7. (Amended) A subscriber apparatus as recited in claim 6; wherein the charge registering means periodically informs ^{the} subscriber's charge to a server.

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8. (Twice Amended) A subscriber apparatus comprising:
demodulating means for demodulating an information signal provided by a server; and

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terminal control means for inputting a demodulated signal of said demodulating means, outputting a signal to recording means which records said demodulated signal in a [recording means which records said demodulated signal in a] recording medium in which a subscriber's

identification number is recorded and controlling supply of the output signal; and wherein

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said terminal control means registers said subscriber's identification number recorded in said recording medium of said recording means and an information identification number provided from said server in said terminal control means, when said subscriber finishes to record an information provided from said server in said recording medium of said recording means.

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9. (Amended) A subscriber apparatus as recited in claim 8; wherein

an information signal is not outputted to the recording means, when a subscriber's identification number is not recorded in a recording medium of the recording means.

10. (Amended) A subscriber apparatus as recited in claim 8 or 9; wherein

an identification number of the recording means is used instead of a subscriber's identification number.

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11. (Amended) An information on demand system; wherein a subscriber apparatus recited in claim 10 is used; a subscriber is discriminated from an identification number of the recording means; and

charge is collected from said subscriber.

12. (Amended) An information on demand system as recited in claim 11[;] wherein

when a subscriber records an information provided from an information providing apparatus, said information can not be recorded unless said subscriber is approved by [a] the server.